April 23, 2015

## KANSAS BULLETIN NO. KS360-15-9

**SUBJECT: PER—All Terrain Vehicle Training** 

Purpose. To announce participants for subject training

Expiration Date. September 30, 2016

All-Terrain Vehicle (ATV) Safety Training is required by policy for employees that use an ATV while performing Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) duties. Therefore, ATV Safety Training sessions have been scheduled to provide the required training to these employees.

The training sessions will take place on <u>Tuesday</u>, <u>May 19</u>, <u>2015</u>, and <u>Wednesday</u>, <u>May 20</u>, <u>2015</u>, at the Quivira National Wildlife Refuge which is located approximately 30 miles west of Hutchinson, Kansas, (refer to attached map for directions if coming from the east, south or west). The training session will begin promptly at 8:30 a.m. and will end sometime around 3 p.m.

The following employees have been selected to participate in the May 19, 2015, session:

Jason Wagner, Kansas Department of Wildlife, Parks and Tourism, Biologist, Hays Area Office Anastasia Walkowiak-Esch, Pheasants Forever Biologist, Ness City Field Office Eric Trumbul, Soil Conservation Technician, Norton Field Office Adria E. Smith, Soil Conservationist, Wellington Field Office Lisa C. Montgomery, Soil Conservationist, Burlington Field Office Rickey Jackson, Soil Conservationist, Lincoln Field Office Matt Miller, Soil Conservation Technician (DOC), Lyndon Field Office Mark A. Janzen, Plant Materials Specialist, Salina State Office

The following employees have been selected to participate in the May 20, 2015, session:

Katlynn Bourne, Soil Conservation Technician (DOC), Ness City Field Office Stephanie M. Burkhardt, Soil Conservation Technician, WaKeeney Field Office Isaac Broeckelman, Conservation District Water Quality Coordinator, Winfield Field Office Matt Schwabauer, Soil Conservation Technician (DOC), Lawrence Field Office Robert Roth, Conservation District Buffer Coordinator, Great Bend Field Office Ryan Cox, Soil Conservation Technician (DOC), Phillipsburg Field Office

NOTE—Participants selected, but unable to attend, should contact Alan Boerger immediately.

All participants must have the following equipment in order to participate in the training sessions:

ATV (with full fuel tank)\* Helmet\*

Eye Protection (goggles or face shield). <u>Sunglasses and prescription glasses alone are not acceptable</u> <u>for this class.</u>\*

(more)

DIST: Participants, Supervisors, A, S, Boerger

Natural Resources Conservation Service 760 South Broadway Boulevard Salina, Kansas 67401-4604 Phone: 785-823-4500 FAX: 785-823-4540 www.ks.nrcs.usda.gov Gloves\*
Long Pants\*
Long Sleeve Shirt\*
Boots (over the ankle)\*
Appropriate outdoor wear depending on weather conditions
Drinking water
Lunch

(\* Item is required in order to participate in the training session)

As indicated in the participant equipment list, please bring a lunch since we will be many miles from the nearest town.

For NRCS employees, time should be charged to "CTA-General" in the Web-based Total Cost Accounting System (WebTCAS).

If you have any questions about the training sessions, please feel free to contact Alan R. Boerger, Resource Conservationist, at the Manhattan Area Office. The telephone number is 785-776-7582, Extension 1504 or e-mail him at <a href="mailto:alan.boerger@ks.usda.gov">alan.boerger@ks.usda.gov</a>.

**Contact:** Alan R. Boerger, Resource Conservationist, 785-776-7582, extension 1504 or alan.boerger@ks.usda.gov

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Attachment